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Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111(a) and 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) is a new utility patent application, for an invention entitled:
"SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR DETECTING AND PREVENTING ATTACKS TO A TARGET COMPUTER SYSTEM"
And invented by:
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